

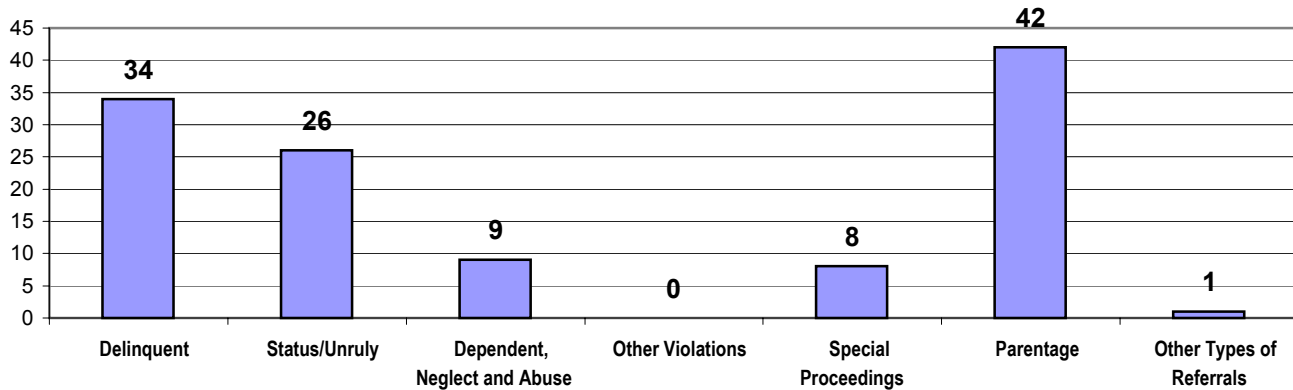
Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges
First Quarter Summary Report
Based On Number of Reported Cases
January - March 2003

Juvenile Court **Benton**
 Court Number **3**

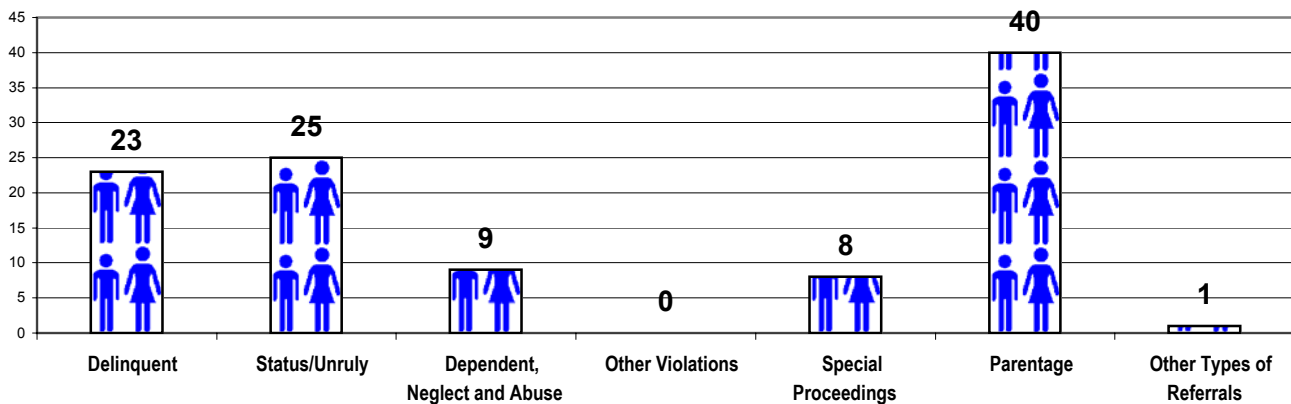
Northwest Region

Affecting **106 Cases** Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted
98 Children Who had **120 Referrals**

Number of Referrals January - March 2003 Benton



Individual Children January - March 2003 Benton



Referrals	Individual Children	(NOTE: Children can appear in multiple categories)
34	23	Delinquent
26	25	Status/Unruly
9	9	Dependent, Neglect and Abuse
0	0	Other Violations
8	8	Special Proceedings
42	40	Parentage
1	1	Other Types of Referrals
120		Total

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

Referral Reasons

Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons. Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons,

Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions, And Person Executing the Action may be greater than the Total Number of Cases

At Time of Referral to Juvenile Court	
0	0.00%
0	0.00%
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0	0.00%
3	2.50%
0	0.00%
0	0.00%
0	0.00%
0	0.00%
0	0.00%
1	0.83%
0	0.00%
0	0.00%
0	0.00%
0	0.00%
3	2.50%
11	9.17%
0	0.00%
0	0.00%
0	0.00%
0	0.00%
2	1.67%
0	0.00%
0	0.00%
0	0.00%
0	0.00%
1	0.83%
3	0.00%
0	0.00%
0	0.00%
0	0.00%
0	0.00%

Referral Adjudicated by Juvenile Court		
0	0.00%	Criminal Homicide
0	0.00%	1st Degree Murder
0	0.00%	2nd Degree Murder
0	0.00%	Aggravated Rape
0	0.00%	Rape of a Child
0	0.00%	Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	0.00%	Aggravated Robbery
0	0.00%	Aggravated Kidnapping
0	0.00%	Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	0.00%	Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	0.00%	Rape
0	0.00%	Voluntary Manslaughter
0	0.00%	Vehicular Homicide
0	0.00%	Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	0.00%	Other Sexual Offenses
3	2.50%	Aggravated Assault
0	0.00%	Robbery
0	0.00%	Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	0.00%	Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
1	0.83%	Assault
0	0.00%	Reckless Endangerment
0	0.00%	Aggravated Arson
0	0.00%	Arson
0	0.00%	Aggravated Burglary
3	2.50%	Theft of Property
11	9.17%	Vandalism
0	0.00%	Forgery
0	0.00%	Worthless Checks
0	0.00%	Illegal Poss./Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
2	1.67%	Burglary
0	0.00%	Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	0.00%	Cruelty to Animals
0	0.00%	Sale of Controlled Substances
1	0.00%	Other Drug Offenses
3	0.00%	Possession of Controlled Substances
0	0.00%	Criminal Attempt
0	0.00%	Carrying Weapons on School Property
0	0.00%	Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
0	0.00%	Evading Arrest

Of the **106 Cases Disposed Of Or Adjusted January - March 2003**
General Characteristics (Continued)

Benton
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At Time of Referral to Juvenile Court			Referral Adjudicated by Juvenile Court		
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Escape
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Driving Under Influence (DUI)
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Aggravated Criminal Trespass
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Harassment
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Failure to Appear
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Filing a False Police Report
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Criminal Impersonation
4	0.00%		4	0.00%	Disorderly Conduct
1	0.00%		1	0.00%	Criminal Trespass
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Public Intoxication
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Gambling
2	0.00%		2	0.00%	Traffic
1	0.00%		1	0.00%	Local Ordinances
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Contempt of Court
2	0.00%		2	0.00%	Violation of Probation
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Violation of Aftercare
7	0.00%		7	0.00%	Unruly Behavior
16	0.00%		16	0.00%	Truancy
2	0.00%		2	0.00%	In-State Runaway
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Out-of-State Runaway
1	0.00%		1	0.00%	Possession of Tobacco Products
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Violation of a Valid Court Order
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Violation of Curfew
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Sexually Abused Child
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Physically Abused Child
6	0.00%		6	0.00%	Dependency/Neglect
3	0.00%		3	0.00%	Termination of Parental Rights
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Violation of Informal Adjustment
2	0.00%		2	0.00%	Judicial Review
1	0.00%		1	0.00%	Administrative Review
5	0.00%		5	0.00%	Foster Care Review
13	0.00%		13	0.00%	Custody
4	0.00%		4	0.00%	Visitation
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Paternity/Legitimation
25	0.00%		25	0.00%	Child Support
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment
0	0.00%		0	0.00%	Consent to Marry
1	0.00%		1	0.00%	Other
120	0.00%		120	0.00%	Total

**Of the 106 Cases, There Were
120 Referral Sources**

Referral Source

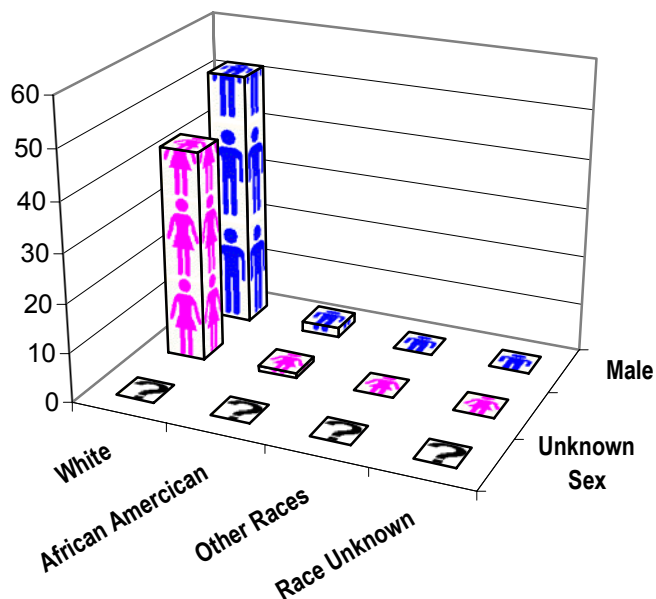
34	28.3%	Were Referred By Law Enforcement
19	15.8%	Were Referred By Parents
3	2.5%	Were Referred By Relatives
0	0.0%	Were Referred By Self
1	0.8%	Were Referred By School
0	0.0%	Were Referred By CSA
19	15.8%	Were Referred By DCS
0	0.0%	Were Referred By Other State Departments
26	21.7%	Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
17	14.2%	Were Referred By Court Staff
1	0.8%	Were Referred By Social Agency
0	0.0%	Were Referred By Other Court
0	0.0%	Were Referred By Victim
0	0.0%	Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	0.0%	Were Referred By Hospital
0	0.0%	Were Unknown
0	0.0%	Other
120	100.0%	Total

**Of the 106 Cases, There Were
120 Intake Actions**

Intake Actions

99	82.5%	Petition Filed
11	9.2%	Motion Filed
2	1.7%	Citation Processed
0	0.0%	Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
2	1.7%	Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	0.0%	Scheduling of Administrative Review
2	1.7%	Scheduling of Foster Care Review
4	3.3%	Other
0	0.0%	Unknown
0	0.0%	Does Not Apply
120	100.0%	Total

Number of Children by Sex and Race January - March 2003 Benton



Male	% of Male Children	Female	% of Female Children	Unknown Sex	% of Unknown Sex		Total by Race	% of Race
52	96.30%	43	97.73%	0	0.00%	White	95	96.94%
2	3.70%	1	2.27%	0	0.00%	African American	3	3.06%
0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	Other Races	0	0.00%
0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	Race Unknown	0	0.00%
54	100.00%	44	100.0%	0	0.00%	Total by Sex		
54	55.10%	44	44.90%	0	0.00%	% of Total Children		

98 Total

(NOTE: Higher number of Children when counting by Sex and Race indicates records sent to TCJFCJ had conflicting demographic information)

Age of Child At Referral

34	34.7%	Birth Through Age 10
12	12.2%	Ages 11 Through 12
19	19.4%	Ages 13 Through 14
18	18.4%	Ages 15 Through 16
15	15.3%	Age 17 Through 18
0	0.0%	Age 19 And Over
0	0.0%	Unknown/Not Reported
98	100.0%	Total

Of the Hispanic Origin	98 Children Referred	
0	0.0%	Were Of Hispanic Origin

Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

25	25.5%	Living With Both Biological Parents
4	4.1%	Living With Father And Stepmother
2	2.0%	Living With Mother And Stepfather
35	35.7%	Living With Mother
5	5.1%	Living With Father
15	15.3%	Living With Relatives
0	0.0%	Living With Adoptive Parents
7	7.1%	Living With Foster Family
1	1.0%	Living In A Group Home
3	3.1%	Living In A Residential Center
0	0.0%	Living In An Institution
1	1.0%	Living Independently
0	0.0%	Unknown
0	0.0%	Other
98	100.0%	Total

Type Of Detention

0	0.0%	Non-Secure Placement
0	0.0%	Juvenile Detention Facility
0	0.0%	Jail - Complete Separation
0	0.0%	Jail - Partial Separation
0	0.0%	Jail - No Separation
0	0.0%	Psychiatric Hospital
0	0.0%	Unknown
106	100.0%	Does Not Apply
0	0.0%	Other
106	100.0%	Total

Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

0	0.0%	Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
0	0.0%	Juvenile Detention Facility
0	0.0%	Jail
0	0.0%	Shelter Facility/Group Home
0	0.0%	Foster Family
0	0.0%	Psychiatric Hospital
0	0.0%	Unknown
106	100.0%	Does Not Apply
0	0.0%	Other
106	100.0%	Total

School Enrollment of Child

84	85.7%	Were Enrolled In School
14	14.3%	Were Not Enrolled In School
0	0.0%	Unknown
98	100.0%	Total

Last Grade Completed By Child

11	11.2%	Too Young For School
3	3.1%	Pre-School
5	5.1%	Finished Kindergarten
2	2.0%	Finished Grade 1
0	0.0%	Finished Grade 2
1	1.0%	Finished Grade 3
1	1.0%	Finished Grade 4
2	2.0%	Finished Grade 5
1	1.0%	Finished Grade 6
6	6.1%	Finished Grade 7
1	1.0%	Finished Grade 8
2	2.0%	Finished Grade 9
1	1.0%	Finished Grade 10
0	0.0%	Finished Grade 11
0	0.0%	Finished Grade 12
0	0.0%	Non-graded Special Education
3	3.1%	GED
0	0.0%	Graduated
0	0.0%	Never Been In School
59	60.2%	Unknown
98	100.0%	Total

Enrolled In Special Education

0	0.0%	Were Enrolled In Special Education
49	50.0%	Not Enrolled In Special Education
49	50.0%	Unknown
98	100.0%	Total

NOTE: In 2002 the Case Outcomes data was created so that each Juvenile is only counted "One time per Disposition Date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous Summaries and Reports), however this will reflect a more accurate number of Outcomes that were ordered per Court Hearing (Disposition Date).

The Following Are The		114	Specific Case Outcomes
7	6.14%		Case Dismissed
0	0.00%		Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
13	11.40%		Warned/Counseled
6	5.26%		Held Open For Review
2	1.75%		Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
0	0.00%		Probation To Parents
0	0.00%		Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
0	0.00%		Referred For Mental Health Counseling
0	0.00%		Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
1	0.88%		Referred To Alternative School
0	0.00%		Referred To Private Child Agency
0	0.00%		Referred To Defensive Driving School
0	0.00%		Referred To Alcohol Safety School
0	0.00%		Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
0	0.00%		Driver's License Held Informally
0	0.00%		Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	0.00%		Private Mental Health Placement
0	0.00%		Private Mental Retardation Placement
0	0.00%		Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
0	0.00%		Placement with Relative/Other Individual
2	1.75%		Fine
1	0.88%		Public Service
2	1.75%		Restitution
0	0.00%		Runaway Returned
0	0.00%		No Contact Order
0	0.00%		Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
0	0.00%		House Arrest
0	0.00%		Court Defined Curfew
0	0.00%		Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	0.00%		Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%		Released From Probation
0	0.00%		Transferred To Adult Court
0	0.00%		DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	0.00%		DCS Commitment - Determinate
0	0.00%		DCS Commitment/Custody
0	0.00%		DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	0.00%		DCS Intensive Probation
2	1.75%		Other Intensive Probation
0	0.00%		DCS Probation
12	10.53%		Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	0.00%		Supervision By DCS
0	0.00%		Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
3	2.63%		Parental Rights Terminated
0	0.00%		Parental Rights Not Terminated
0	0.00%		Order of Reference To DCS
0	0.00%		Court Costs
5	4.39%		Foster Care Terminated
2	1.75%		Foster Care Continued

The Following Are The**114****Specific Case Outcomes (Continued)**

Northwest Region

13	11.40%	Custody Changed
4	3.51%	Custody Unchanged
6	5.26%	Visitation Changed
0	0.00%	Visitation Unchanged
0	0.00%	Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
1	0.88%	Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	0.00%	Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
16	14.04%	Child Support Granted
3	2.63%	Child Support Amended
0	0.00%	Child Support Denied
0	0.00%	Child Support Terminated
0	0.00%	Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	0.00%	Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	0.00%	Consent To Marry Granted
0	0.00%	Consent To Marry Denied
13	11.40%	Other

114	100.00%	Total
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Disposed By**Of the****120** Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

120	100.0%	Disposed By The Judge
0	0.0%	Disposed By The Referee
0	0.0%	Disposed By The YSO
0	0.0%	Other

120	100.0%	Total
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Of The**106****Cases Disposed****The Action Used To Dispose/Adjust Each Of The****120****Referral Reasons Was:**

10	8.3%	Dismissed
0	0.0%	Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
7	5.8%	Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
13	10.8%	Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
1	0.8%	Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	0.0%	Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	0.0%	Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
13	10.8%	Informal Adjustment
1	0.8%	Pretrial Diversion
0	0.0%	Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
0	0.0%	Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
68	56.7%	Special Proceeding
1	0.8%	Review Concluded
6	5.0%	Case Held Open
0	0.0%	Other

120	100.0%	Total
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